

# BRAKE CABLES



News from:  
**Oregon Region CCCA**  
&  
**Packards of Oregon**

May 2022

# From your Directors...

We had a good turnout for our April 23<sup>rd</sup> tour to SMS Upholstery in Canby, thanks to Joe Munsch and Roy Asbahr. Joe led us on a tour throughout rural Clackamas County, followed by lunch at the Wild Hare Saloon. Roy is a longtime friend and customer of Doug Pollock, who started SMS 45 years ago. SMS may be the only supplier in the world of unique fabrics for our antique cars. Not only does SMS have a huge inventory of materials, they also manufacture vinyl and cloth fabrics and even die stamp door panels and sew seat coverings. It was astounding!



This year's first editions of the Oregon Clipper and Hood Release are out! Thanks again to Dave Charvet and Joe Santana! And once again, do your part. If you've got a tech article or a project you're working on or anything you'd like to see published, please get it to Dave for next quarter's issues!



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**Our next regular meeting will be this Thursday, May 5th, at Ernesto's Italian Restaurant, 8544 S.W. Apple Way, Portland, Or 97225. Dinner at 6:00 pm and meeting starts at 7:00 pm.**

Thanks to Howard Freedman, our program will be a video, *"Packard & Automobile Classic Cars, 1899-1958."* We really need volunteers for upcoming programs. The program need not be automobile related, as evidenced by John Imlay's terrific April presentation on the expansion and rebuilding of the PDX Airport.

As previously announced, our annual ladies' tea has been canceled due to limited locations and exorbitant cost increases, we will not be able to have the tea this year.

# Event Details and Club Info

Just visit the appropriate website if you misplaced a publication, deleted the Brake Cables or a reminder blast. Its all there!

Also, if you wish to have a photo of your cars(s) posted on our websites, please send photos to George Potter for the CCCA or Joe Munsch for the Packard Club. **Thanks George and Joe for keeping our websites updated!**

**CCCA:** [www.oregonccca.com](http://www.oregonccca.com)

**Packard Club:** [www.packardsoforegon.net](http://www.packardsoforegon.net)

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**May 21 & 22 Eugene Area Tour - 45**  
people have signed up for our spring overnight tour. A big thanks to Sylvia and George Potter for making all the arrangements. The event will include a covered bridge tour followed by an outdoor BBQ dinner. If you have not signed up and plan to attend, contact Sylvia or George immediately and reserve your hotel room (refer to the flyer previously sent for details). Since it's still spring, bring clothing for any weather. The cost of the BBQ is **\$10 per person**. John Imlay will lead a tour to Eugene, starting at **Al's Garden Center, 16920 SW Roy Rogers Road, Sherwood, Oregon. Meet at 8:30 am for an 8:45 departure.**

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**June 12<sup>th</sup> Strawberry Social** - Thanks to Heather and David Charvet, our annual Strawberry Social, will be held at their new home, **Mystery Manor Farm, 50527 NW Clapshaw Hill Road, Forest Grove, Oregon 97116**. We will arrange a tour and send out a flyer with details later this month. This is a "bring your own lunch" event, followed by strawberries, shortcake and ice cream to be provided by the clubs. Cost is **\$5 per person**.

# Event Details and Club Info

**July 17<sup>th</sup> Forest Grove Concours** - John Imlay recently sent out information on the Concours. There will also be the traditional tour the day before and this year they have added a Friday night concert on the 15<sup>th</sup>. Go to their website to register for any or all of this event.  
[www.forestgroveconcours.org](http://www.forestgroveconcours.org)

**August 28<sup>th</sup> Lake Oswego Collector Car and Classic Boat Show** go to:

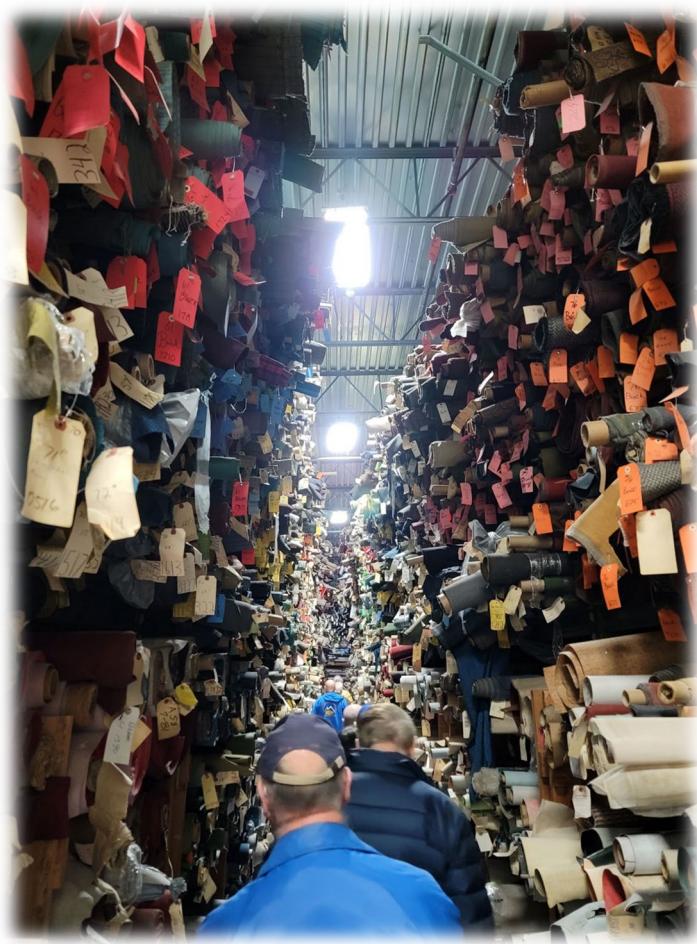
[Collector Car & Classic Boat Show — Oswego Heritage Council](#) to register.

We have supported these events in the past and hope you will attend. Both require advance registration.

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**2022 September Tour:** We are now “full up” for the annual “Howie” tour (September 10-18) to Northern California and the redwood forests. However, if you are interested in getting on the waitlist, please contact Howard Freedman via phone or email.

**Western Regions Packard Tour May 18-21,** For those not attending the Eugene overnight tour, this event will be held in Minden, Nevada and hosted by the Silver Circle Region of the Packard Club. Contact Joe Munsch if interested.



**Wow, that's a lotta upholstery fabric!**



# Events Calendar

## MAY

5<sup>th</sup> Member dinner meeting at Ernesto's at 6:00 PM

7<sup>th</sup> – Portland Transmission Car Show

18-21 – Western Regions Packard Tour hosted by the Nevada Club

21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> Over night tour to Eugene with BBQ and Covered Bridge Tour

## JUNE

2<sup>nd</sup> Member dinner meeting at Ernesto's at 6:00 PM

12<sup>th</sup> Annual Strawberry Social - Charvet's Farm

## JULY

4<sup>th</sup> Packard club Annual Forth of July Picnic at the Glud's

7<sup>th</sup> Member dinner meeting at Ernesto's at 6:00 PM

17<sup>th</sup> Forest Grove Concours d'Elegance. See [Concours website](#)

26<sup>th</sup> Packard club Hillsboro Tuesday Market Night - Joe Munsch

## AUGUST

4<sup>th</sup> Member dinner meeting at Ernesto's at 6:00 PM

27<sup>th</sup> Lake Oswego Poker Run Tour

28<sup>th</sup> Lake Oswego Car Show

## OCTOBER

6<sup>th</sup> Members dinner meeting at Ernesto's at 6:00 PM

8<sup>th</sup> Pumpkin Tour. Hosted by Packard club with CCCA. John Imlay Tour Leader

29<sup>th</sup> Halloween Costume party at Freedman's Garage (Potluck & Award for best outfit)

## NOVEMBER

3<sup>rd</sup> Activities planning meeting for 2023 at Freedman's Garage

Oregon Region Annual Meeting Dinner (Date, time and location TBD)

## DECEMBER

11<sup>th</sup> Holiday Potluck Dinner Party (Time and location TBD)

\*\* Details on much of the above will be forthcoming!

There are many 2022 CCCA Grand Classics being held around the country. Refer to the CCCA website if you're interested.